



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Wu et al.
Title: Hot Carrier Circuit Reliability Simulation
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Docket No.: BTAT.002US1 Conf. No.: 5253

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

ELECTION AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 4, 2005, for which a one-month extension is hereby requested, Applicant responds as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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